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## BARGAIN DAY IS PROVING A SUCCESS.

The Big Stores This Morning Were Crowded to the Doors.

### MANY OUT OF TOWN PEOPLE

Came in to Do Shopping and Take Advantage of Big Reduction in Prices. Rush Will Come this Afternoon and Evening.

Bargain Day, the feature attraction of the opening of the celebration is attracting hundreds of shoppers from Connellville and surrounding towns. While the merchants had employed extra help in order to be prepared to handle immense crowds they had no idea that the event would attract so many people. As soon as the stores were opened a mass of people filed in and at times it was impossible to get through the crowds. Many clerks were kept busy and efforts were made to serve the crowd as quickly as possible. All the incoming street cars from nearby towns are crowded and many women brought their lunch, so as they would be prepared to spend the day looking after bargains.

Some wonderful bargains were on sale at all the stores. In the dry goods stores, in addition to special articles on sale for the occasion, practically every article is reduced below or to cost. The wise shoppers started out as early as possible and as the result avoided the pushing and crowding which always exists at a bargain sale. The crowd is a good natured one and everyone realizes that the clerks cannot serve them all at the same time.

The crowd is not only composed of women, but men as well. In arranging for the sales the men were not overlooked. The shoe stores, millinery stores, drug stores and grocery stores are all doing a fine business. Perhaps more talcum powder, cold cream, perfume, etc., were disposed of by the drug stores this morning than in recent months.

One dry goods firm had disposed of 50 dozen pairs of towels by 9 o'clock. All the merchants are doing a business far beyond their expectations and Bargain Day will no doubt be one of the greatest attractions and busiest days in the Connellville stores for some time. There was not a store from the largest down to the smallest that was not well patronized and every merchant is well pleased with his share of the trade. Many of the stores will be open this evening until 9 o'clock and those who couldn't get out during the day will take advantage of the bargains this evening. The mountain accommodation brought in many people from the mountain districts and to accommodate the crowd special cars were attached.

## Baluk's Punch Cost Tidy Sum

John Bush of Leisnering No. 1 was arrested yesterday by Constable William Roland of Dunbar township on a charge of assault and battery and aggravated assault made by William Baluk. It was alleged by the prosecutor that he was knocked down and beaten by the defendant. The information, which was made before Squire P. M. Buttermore, was withdrawn and the defendant paid the costs, a tidy sum.

Two Prisoners Sentenced. At police court this morning Leonard Perry, who gave Charles as his residence and his occupation that of a painter and paper hanger, was given 48 hours as a suspicious character. John B. Grimm of Swagertown, on a like charge, received a similar sentence.

To Meet on Friday. The regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Trinity Reformed church will be held Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Louise Baker in Greenwood.

## Bums Take Possession of Rest Tent Of W. C. T. U.; Police Rout Them.

The first attraction of the Third Class City Celebration to be patronized was the W. C. T. U. rest room on South Pittsburg street. While the ladies in charge were absent last night two bums came along and took possession of the tent. When the ladies returned they discovered the tent was empty. While the tent was erected by the ladies for a rest room during the celebration they were not pleased with their first visitors. They immediately proceeded to

## SAND PATCH HIGHWAYMEN HOLD UP W. M. FOREMAN.

While Two of Them Held Him a Third Went Through His Pockets and Then Overlooked Sum of Money.

The construction of the new B. & O. tunnel at Sand Patch has brought a tough lot of customers to that community. Saturday night and Sunday the Meyerdsdale lockup was filled mostly with this class of gentry, and among other depredations of a minor nature, there was a hold-up perpetrated not more than fifty yards from Meyerdsdale on Sunday. Sunday morning Charles Modispaw, powder foreman for the Head & Wright operations on the Western Maryland in Meyerdsdale, was held up by three men. Modispaw was felled to the ground and held there by two of the bandits while the third one went through his pockets. His pocketbook was taken out of his pocket, rifled and thrown into the bushes, after which Modispaw was released and the robbers made their escape. Early yesterday morning Modispaw visited the scene of the hold-up and found his pocketbook. To his surprise and joy the robbers, not knowing the combination of the double flap wallet, succeeded in locating only the one-dollar bills, leaving in the wallet two fives and a ten-dollar bill. The police are searching for the miscreants.

## W. C. T. U. Active in Celebration

The W. C. T. U. ladies of town and South Connellville are taking a prominent part in the celebration. They have provided a very comfortable rest room for the tired mothers and their children on West Fairview avenue between Storey's and Semberow's stores. The tent is erected in the rear of the serving tent and contains several comfortable chairs, several cots, and small tables. Meals will be served by the ladies, five cents being charged for each article, with the exception of ice cream, which will be ten cents a dish. Two cakes, bread and pies which are being served today are all home made.

For the use of the ladies during the celebration the Tri-State Telephone Company has installed a telephone free of charge. Many donations have been made and the ladies greatly appreciate the assistance given them by persons not members of the Union.

## Dance Ended in Free for All Fight

Addis Hall, on famous Dry Hill above Broad Ford, was the scene of a dance last Saturday night, which wound up with anything but a love feast, in fact the ending was a free-for-all fight.

What the trouble started about it is hard to state. "Old grudge" is presumed to be responsible, but whatever the cause, the scrapping was fast and furious, and while it lasted the orchestra ceased playing. The result was that eight or ten young men were requested to appear before Squire Clark to explain their actions. Charles Wilson having made the information against them for disorderly conduct. The offenders were all more or less repentant and as no very serious damage had been done, they were left off with the payment of the costs.

## New Crews Go on at Smithfield

Some of the late B. & O. trainmen at Smithfield have been made happy. Yesterday two additional crews were ordered to report for duty, and those not fortunate enough to be included are hoping their turn will come soon. The additional crews were made necessary by the increased traffic delivered to the B. & O. by the Monongahela railroad, the present force not being able to handle it.

Small Boy Stoned Mother. Charged with stoning his sick mother, breaking the windows of his home near Fairchance and performing other similar stunts, John Cooley, aged eight, was committed to jail yesterday on a charge of incorrigibility.

Born, a Baby Boy. John T. Fowler, of Pittsburg street, is wearing a self-satisfied smile over the arrival of a ten-pound boy. The young man made his appearance last Saturday, and is the first one.

## EIGHT PRISONERS ARE SENTENCED

At a Session of Court Before Judge Van Swearingen This Morning.

### ALL GIVEN SHORT TERMS

A Number of the Prisoners Were Children in Jail Because They Would Not Mind Their Parents—Were Sent to Morganza.

Special to The Courier. UNIONTOWN, Aug. 1.—In Court Room No. 2 Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen this morning sentenced 11 jail prisoners, including three juvenile cases. The juvenile cases are James Davis of Connellville, a negro sentenced to Morganza for incorrigibility at the prosecution of his mother, Joseph Pollock, aged 10, an orphan, who has been in charge of the Uniontown Aid Society, was sent to Morganza on a charge of incorrigibility. Joseph Kiscila, Jr., prosecuted by his father of Leisnering No. 1, 13 years old, was sentenced to Morganza on a charge of incorrigibility.

Tony Shuster was sentenced for costs on a board bill case. Freeman McMillen of Connellville admitted stealing a pocketbook containing \$10.00 from John Proun at Connellville, but stated that he did so because his mother and seven brothers and sisters were in need. Attorney Goldsmith told the court that he knew they were destitute, and he was sentenced for costs with recommendation that the county commissioners take his note for the costs. Andy Dumarck for fraudulent obtaining a board bill of \$150, Continental No. 1, had to pay the costs. William Evans sentenced for a board bill of \$12, at Uniontown, paid the costs. Andy Bescoe, assault and battery, costs and 30 days. Hatlie Johnston, colored, admitted stealing a ring valued at \$15 from a family in Menallen township and was sentenced to Morganza.

Joe Beeny, fraudulently obtaining board at Lemont, \$2.80, sentenced for costs.

## M. Hosfelt Sues His Son Albert

Michael Hosfelt of Connellville, made information before Squire Clark yesterday against his son, Albert, 16 years of age, for incorrigibility. The boy has been a source of considerable trouble to his parents and they apparently are unable to control him. At the hearing last evening the boy was bound over for court.

Before Squire Clark yesterday, Steve Orwosky of Star Junction, charged with assault and battery by Lawrence Martin, paid the costs.

## Burgess' Warning Against the Crooks

Burgess J. L. Evans made a request this morning that all persons on leaving their homes see that the windows and doors are securely locked in order to prevent burglars from entering as there are a number of crooks in town for the celebration.

Burgess Evans has instructed all the regular officers to keep a close watch on all suspicious characters and has also sworn in a number of plain clothes men who will be on duty until after the celebration.

## THE BIG DAYS OF CELEBRATION.

They Come With Parade Tomorrow and Tenth Vets on Thursday.

### A CHANGE IN THE ROUTE

Of the Parade Was Announced This Morning—Street Vendors Opened for Business Bright and Early This Morning—Program Tomorrow.

Third Class City Day. Salute at Sunrise. 10:30 A. M.—Street Parade. 12:00—Italian Ascension. 12:30—Ox Roast—Free to Every body. South Pittsburg Street. 1:30 P. M.—Bicycle Race. 2:00—Baseball, Leisnering No. 1. J. C. Strike League Champions vs. Morgan on Sligo Field. 3:00—Italian Ascension. 3:30—Baseball, Davidson vs. Hicks, on Sligo Field. 4:30—Band Concerts. 5:30—Italian Fire Works Dis. 6:00—Italian Veterans' Day. 7:00 A. M.—Reception of Spanish American War Veterans. 10:30—Address of Welcome by Burgess J. L. Evans in Johnson Theatre. 10:45—Business Meeting of Philadelphia Veterans in Johnson Theatre. 12:00—Italian Ascension. 12:15—Armory's Parade to Armory. 2:00—Athletic Sports, Ball Park. 3:00—Band Concerts. 3:30—Baseball—Sligo Field. 4:30—Italian Ascension. 5:00—Band Concerts. 6:00—Mummer's Parade. 9:30—Italian Fire Works.

With the closing of Bargain Day, the first of the three day Third Class City celebration ends this evening and Connellville will be ready for two days devoted to amusement for themselves and the thousands of visitors who will be with us. There is every indication that the celebration will attract large crowds. Already many people who have friends and relatives here, have come from a distance to be present at the events of tomorrow and Thursday.

Every detail for the program tomorrow and Thursday has practically been completed. The Tenth veterans will be royally welcomed by their comrades and the citizens of the city when they get in on Thursday morning. All that is needed to set things going for tomorrow is the rising of Old Sol on a clear day. This morning a slight change was made in the route of the parade as follows:

The parade in returning from the West Side in turn at the Young House into South Arch street and go down to South Fairview avenue, thence down Fairview avenue to Water street, along Water street to Peach street, up Peach street to Pittsburg street, and disband on Pittsburg street. It had been planned to disband at the corner of Pittsburg and Main streets. The sashes for the Grand Marshal and his aides are at the Royal Hotel. The Grand Marshal will wear a yellow sash and his staff white sashes. The aides will all wear blue sashes. The parade will form promptly at 10 o'clock and it is the expectation to have it start at 10:30 sharp.

Chairman J. G. Gorman of the Executive Committee stated this morning that it has been impossible in the short length of time allowed to see everyone wanted in the parade, but they are all cordially invited; in fact all are urged to turn out and make the celebration the success it is bound to be.

Judge R. E. Umbel and J. Q. Van Swearingen will arrive in Connellville tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Hon. A. P. Cooper, Senator W. E. Crow, Hon. Peter Guyaux, Hon. John S. Carroll and Hon. D. D. Johnson, will also be here for the day. Col. James E. Barnett and Major T. S. Cruso may also come in from Pittsburg tomorrow morning, a day ahead of the Tenth Veterans' Reunion.

Plans for the annual reunion of the Tenth Regiment to be held on Thursday are about completed. Only the minor details are to be looked after and by Thursday morning everything will be in readiness for the entertainment of the Fighting Tenth.

## BLIND BOBBY BURNETT'S REMARKABLE MEMORY.

Bobby Burnett, a blind storekeeper in East Connellville, had a pleasant surprise yesterday when his old friend George S. Shaw of Springfield, O., paid him a visit. It was the first time they had met for 25 years and Mr. Burnett recognized his friend by his voice. The last time they met was 25 years ago when they went coon hunting together. It was a happy meeting.

## SUICIDE OR ACCIDENT TAKES LIFE OF CAREY.

B. & O. Tunnel Construction Man Found Dying in His Cabin With a Smoking Revolver on Bed Beside Him.

What was probably an accident or a suicide occurred at one of the boarding houses at Sand Patch about 5 o'clock Sunday evening when a revolver shot attracted persons in the neighborhood to the room of one of the minor tasses on the B. & O. tunnel construction job, and whose name is said to be Joseph Carey, though other names have been reported. The room mate of Carey, a young man named Lewis, was the first to enter the room and found his friend in a dying condition from the effects of a bullet wound in the region of his heart and a smoking revolver lying upon the bed beside him. A member of the St. constabulary was summoned, W. placed Lewis under arrest

to await the verdict of the coroner's inquest, which is being held over the remains at Sand Patch this evening. The prisoner was brought to Meyerdsdale where he is now in the borough lockup. Those who are in the best position to know claim that the man accidentally shot himself while handling a revolver, which is said to have been of the dangerous hammerless variety. The murder or suicide theories seem to be discredited by all who are acquainted with the circumstances, quitted with the circumstances, Carey was aged about 35 years and was unmarried. His remains were taken to Meyerdsdale and prepared for burial.

## BAD FIGHT STARTS OVER BOARD BILL.

Newcomers From Davidson at Trotter Have a Merry Row.

### A BOARDER GOT BUMPED

Rumpus Stirred the Quietude of Trotter About 11 O'Clock Last Evening and Then Some of the Neighbors Took a Hand.

A free for all fight occurred in a company house at Trotter last night over a board bill and as a result Thomas Greglock is suffering from painful cuts on his face and hands. A few days ago Jacob Freshlock and family moved from Davidson into a company house at Trotter. To celebrate the occasion last evening the Freshlocks invited Joe Wachek and Thomas Greglock of Trotter, to spend the evening with them in their new home. Like all celebrations of the kind among the foreigners, there was plenty of beer and the men indulged quite freely.

Greglock boards with Wachek, and during the evening the latter claimed that Greglock's board bill was due. This Greglock denied stating that it was not due until some time in August. One word brought on another and a free for all fight ensued. The neighbors in the vicinity were disturbed by the fight and they at once took a hand in the matter by going to the home of Constable William Roland at Trotter and reporting the fight. Constable Roland lost no time in going to the scene of battle. On his arrival the fight was still on and there was an awful mixing. Greglock was covered with blood and was so badly beaten up that he was unable to accompany Constable Roland to the police station in the West Side until after his wounds had been dressed by Dr. C. W. Utes. Greglock's thumb on his right hand was badly cut, his eyes were swollen and his face is covered with small cuts. On his arrival this morning at the office of Squire P. M. Buttermore to make information against Wachek he presented a very sad appearance. The information charges Wachek with assault and battery. A hearing will be held this evening before Squire Buttermore. Abe Cohen is the interpreter in the case. Owing to several of the witnesses being at work the hearing could not be held sooner. Wachek is in the West Side police station pending a hearing. The correct details of the fight could not be learned this morning.

## Got the Drum; Thief Still Free

A snare drum belonging to Earle Trump which was stolen from the Globe theatre last Friday night was yesterday recovered through the efforts of Officers Hottler and Wilson, although the thief has not yet been apprehended. The officers got a clew yesterday that led them to the old Association grounds and after considerable search the drum was located and returned to the owner.

## Big Representation.

Fifteen churches of Pasco county will be represented at a convention of the Christian Endeavor Society to be held Friday in the Methodist Protestant church at Percy. The opening session will convene at 1 o'clock. Supper will be served at Shady Grove park. The evening service will begin at 8 o'clock.

## P. R. R. OFFICIALS COMING TOMORROW.

General Manager Long and Gen. Supt. O'Donnell Will Be in City.

### TONNAGE MATTERS CALL THEM

Activity of the Baltimore & Ohio and the Entrance of the Western Maryland Stirring the Pennsylvania to Interest Long Dormant.

A party of high Pennsylvania Railroad Company officials will be in Connellville tomorrow. Their visit is simply coincident with the Third Class City celebration, and since they are in the city it is probable that they will accept the offer of an automobile for the parade or watch it from some place agreed upon after their arrival. The party will consist of General Manager S. C. Long of Philadelphia, General Superintendent R. L. O'Donnell of Pittsburg and Division Freight Agent S. L. Seymour. They will come in at 10:30 A. M. on a special car attached to the Young Express.

It is a long time since an official as high as the general manager, accompanied by the General Superintendent and Division Freight Agent, has paid Connellville a day's visit. The impression has been pretty general in Connellville that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company was rather indifferent towards Connellville. Negotiations between the city authorities and the Pennsylvania officials have nearly always been tinged with friction that did not tend to promote cordial feelings. This was especially true of the relations between Connellville and past officials of the P. R. R. The object of the visit of General Manager Long and party here tomorrow is to look into tonnage conditions in Connellville. The Baltimore & Ohio, stirred by the coming entrance of the New York Central system into Connellville, has been preparing for improved service of all kinds in this territory. The aggressive spirit of the New York Central, of course is well known to railroad officials, which may account for the awakened interest of the Pennsylvania in the Center of the Coke Region.

## Dinner Arranged For P. R. R. Men

General Manager S. C. Long, General Superintendent R. L. O'Donnell and Division Freight Agent S. L. Seymour of the Pennsylvania Railroad will be entertained at a dinner tomorrow at the Royal Hotel. Secretary Fred Kurtz of the Chamber of Commerce is arranging the dinner. Plates will be laid for twenty. Those who will be present are prominent members of the Chamber of Commerce and business men of the city.

## Pope Is Weak; Vatican Worried

United Press Telegram. ROME, Italy, Aug. 1.—Pope Pius X continues extremely weak, according to reports from the Vatican today. While official reports still say that the Pontiff is in no immediate danger no effort is made in Vatican circles to conceal the fact that his condition is considered precarious, and that owing to his age and weak heart, his sudden death would not be unexpected.

## Council Meeting Scheduled Tonight

A regular meeting of Town Council is scheduled for this evening. The regular committee meeting of the Finance Committee was held last evening and routine business disposed of so the bills would be in good shape for passage this evening. It is likely that the session this evening will be short.

## Big Asylum at Hamilton Burns; Eight Bodies Already Taken Out.

United Press Telegram. HAMILTON, Ontario, Aug. 1.—Eight bodies have been taken from the ruins of the Hamilton Insane Asylum which was destroyed by fire early today, and it is feared there are many additional bodies in the ruins which are now being searched. There were 600 patients in the institution when the fire broke out and 50, considered among the most dangerous, were confined on the fifth floor. The asylum was located on the mountain outside the city, and in an almost inaccessible position, so far as the city firemen were concerned. The fire was marked by a display of fireworks on the part of the doctors, nurses and attendants seldom equalled in the history of Canada. Many of the patients were absolutely helpless from diseases that confined them to their rooms. Others, their reason gone, saw in the leaping flames and crackling embers a splendid spectacle presented for their entertainment. The result was that in numerous instances the inmates had to be fairly lifted on the shoulders of the hospital attendants and carried into the roadway. Most of the fatalities occurred on the top floor. Strongs were netting across the windows prevented the firemen from reaching them quickly, but fire nets were spread and the patients were pushed to the windows and thrown out.

## SOCIETY.

**Hostess at Bridge.**  
Miss Jesse Bryner was hostess at a pretty bridge party last evening at her home on East Mainview avenue in honor of Miss Ethel Heinich, of Lancaster, Pa., and Miss Elizabeth McNeal of Wilkesburg, the guests of Miss Maryona Sinclair. Four tables were called into play and prizes were awarded Mrs. C. C. Mitchell and Mrs. Alex. Leisenring. A well arranged luncheon followed the games. Miss Page of Mt. Pleasant was an out of town guest.

**Shared Honors at Bridge.**  
Mrs. H. F. Boyts and Mrs. Herbert Knox, the latter of Pittsburgh, shared honors at an informal bridge party at which Miss Katharine Frisco was hostess yesterday afternoon at the Frisco cottage on Washington avenue. Two tables were arranged on the porch, which was attractively decorated for the occasion. A color scheme of lavender was cleverly carried out. Prizes were awarded Mrs. Knox, Mrs. Boyts and Mrs. H. F. Snyder. Luncheon followed the games. K. of C. Dance.

The Knights of Columbus will hold a dance this evening in the auditorium in the Title Building. Music will be furnished by Kiefer's orchestra.

**Children's Mission Band.**  
The Children's Mission Band of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church. Tomorrow evening the Sunday School Association will hold its regular meeting in the church.

## Taxi Chauffeurs

## White Slave Agents

**United Press Telegram.**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Following the arrest of two taxicab chauffeurs in front of the fashionable St. Regis hotel, after an indignant mother had loudly beaten one of them with a trunk strap, the police today assert that an organized conspiracy exists among a certain class of chauffeurs to abduct girls of tender age and then transfer them to interior cities. The clique, the police say, acted as the agent of a class of wealthy men, and after the girls had been discarded by them, they were shipped west to join the white slave colony of Pittsburgh, Chicago and even San Francisco.

The first arrest was Max Atkinson who has a wife and baby. Many other arrests are expected today. Mrs. Mary Sullivan was the woman who accused Atkinson of abducting her daughter, Anna, 15 years of age, and beating him severely until the police stepped in.

## Wm. Searight Visitor

## to the Celebration

William Searight was the first Uniontown man in Conneltsville this morning to welcome Conneltsville into the ranks of Pennsylvania's third class cities. He noted with surprise the crowded condition of all the stores and promised to come down tomorrow and the next day.

Bill is an old newspaper man, and of course, as the son of the late Col. Thomas E. Searight he has the politics of Fayette county for the past 20 years or more at his finger tips. But he got out of both the newspaper business and politics five or six years ago and as a result has prospered.

## Crooked Games

## to Be Barred

Some friction has arisen between the fakirs who have been granted license by the Burgess through J. G. Gorman, the Privilege Committee, and business men of town. Some of the stands erected by the vendors and fakirs interfere with traffic. In other instances crooked games, it is alleged, have been started.

Burgess knows is authority for the statement that nothing but legitimate faking will be permitted. Burgess says said this morning that the town is not to be thrown open as some think. The out of town fakirs in some manner got the impression that such was to be the case, and they are sore because a halt has been called.

## ITCHING SKIN QUICKLY CURED

Hot weather means skin trouble for many people, but now you can stop the itch instantly.

Just a few drops of the cooling and healing winter green lotion and the itch is gone—not in half an hour—not in ten minutes—but in five seconds.

This simple wash is known as D. D. D. Prescription for Itchiness, and usually sells for \$1.00 a bottle, but now by special arrangement you can get a trial size bottle for 25 cents. This will be enough to show you why we always recommend D. D. D. for all skin troubles. D. D. D. gives instant relief.

J. C. Moore, Druggist, Water street, Conneltsville.

**Declines Call.**  
RUFFSDALE, Aug. 1.—(Special).—Rev. F. W. Brown, of Beaver Springs, who was offered the pastorate at Christ's Reformed church here following a trial sermon several weeks ago, has declined to accept.

Patronize those who advertise in this paper.

## Bitter Fight to Save Geidel

**United Press Telegram.**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—A bitter fight to save Paul Geidel from the electric chair is to be made by the attorneys for the young bell boy who murdered William H. Jackson, the aged broker, in his room in the Troquois Hotel last Thursday night.

Geidel's counsel, James A. Gray, insists today that there are features of the boy's confession that he will prove were invented by the police after the boy had signed it. Gray said that he is prepared to prove that Jackson invited the boy into his room. The moral character of Jackson will also be attacked.

## Party Home From Ridgeway Park

Misses Ruth and Sara McDuffett, Misses Mary and Dortha Cunningham, Miss Carrie Kenyon, Miss Lucy Sullivan, Miss Jeanette Crossland, Miss Sue Lessig and Joseph Poole have returned home from Ridgeway Park, where they attended the annual meeting of the Epworth League of the Pittsburgh district. The meeting is in the form of a training school, and Miss Anna McDuffett of the West side is a member of the faculty.

Miss Anna McDuffett before returning to her home will spend several weeks at Ocean Grove, N. J. Thursday she will be joined by Mrs. J. R. Frank and Miss Minnie McDuffett.

## Marshal Gets A Western Bandit

**United Press Telegram.**  
HARLEM, Mont., Aug. 1.—One bandit is dead and an armed posse is scouring the country toward Bear Paw mountain for two others who escaped yesterday after attempting to rob Senator Everett's First National Bank here.

Marshal Taswell killed one of the bandits as he was coming out of the building with a sack containing \$10,000. A bullet pierced the bandit's heart. The other two escaped, very cleverly cutting the telephone and telephone wires so they could not be traced easily.

## Bessie Cohn Files Divorce Suit

**Special to The Courier.**  
UNIONTOWN, August 1.—A divorce was filed this morning by Bessie Cohn of Uniontown against Joseph Cohn of Charleston. They were married November 2, 1910, in New York City. She alleges that he had been intimate with a woman at Uniontown, N. Y.

Attorney John Duggan was appointed master in the case of Nannie Starr versus James O. Starr.

## Sharon Deserted Village Today

**United Press Telegram.**  
SHARON, Pa., Aug. 1.—This town today is a veritable replica of Goldsmith's "Deserted Village." Every body in town has gone to the seventh annual outing of the merchants and clerics of Sharon. The only institution remaining open in the postoffice. Even the daily newspapers have suspended publication. The outing is being held at Conneaut Lake.

## Fractured Leg Wired at Hospital

Raymond Higgins, who has been confined to the Cottage State hospital with a fractured leg and arm had to have his fractured leg wired this morning, on account of no union of the fracture.

The young man fell from a West Penn street car while returning from the Hillman picnic at Shady Grove, and has been confined to the hospital since the accident.

## Farmers Free List Bill Passes Senate

**United Press Telegram.**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 1.—When the House Farmers' Free List bill came up in the Senate this afternoon, the vote on its passage was 39 to 39. Vice President Sherman declared the bill lost. On motion by La Follette the measure was reconsidered and on final vote passed by a vote of 18 to 39.

## Notice to Tax Payers.

August 5th, 1911, is the last day to pay your taxes in order to have a discount on the County, Borough and States taxes. Office open every evening from 7 to 8:30 P. M. All delinquents are hereby notified, that unless their taxes are paid at once they will be collected, as all 1910 duplicates must be closed. H. C. Norton, Tax Collector.

**WEBSTER'S NEW STANDARD (ILLUSTRATED) DICTIONARY COUPON**

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1911.

SIX COUPONS OF CONSECUTIVE DATES CONSTITUTE A SET.

Cut out the above coupon, with five others of consecutive dates, and present them at this office, with the expense book amount herein set opposite any title of Dictionary selected (which covers the items of the cost of packing, express from the factory, checking, clerk hire and other necessary EXPENSE items), and receive your choice of these three books:

**The \$4.00** (Like illustration in advertisement elsewhere in this issue) WEBSTER'S New Standard Dictionary, which is in gold on back and sides, printed on Bible paper, with red edges and corners rounded; beautiful, strong, durable. Besides the general contents as described elsewhere there are maps and over 600 subjects beautifully illustrated by three-color plates, numerous subjects by monochrome. 16 pages of valuable charts in two colors, and the late United States Census. Present at this office six consecutive Dictionary coupons and the

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## Leading Figures in Fight in Parliament to Take Power of Veto From Lords.



## Texas Storm Does Big Damages

**United Press Telegram.**  
ADELPHI, TEXAS, Aug. 1.—Belated advice today from the storm swept area including several west Texas counties say the village of Hamlin, Jones county, was completely demolished, and that seven inches of hail and three inches of rain fell over the territory.

No details of the disaster are obtainable, as wire communications are cut off. A terrific wind accompanied the downpour in Nolan, Scurry, Jones and Taylor counties.

J. C. Miller, a farmer, was killed in Abilene when a barn collapsed over him. Dr. Hollis, a well known physician, was killed by a falling timber.

## Beattie Reads Nick Carter Stories

**United Press Telegram.**  
RICHMOND, Va., Aug. 1.—The adventures of Dick Denslow and Nick Carter today furnished the amusement for Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., locked up in Richmond jail for the murder of his young wife.

## New Dictionary Purchasers Today

Mrs. Emma Spencer of Vanderbill, C. E. Gaddis, Miller Dunaway of Dunbar, G. W. Ghrist of McKeesport, Mrs. Weaver of Confluence, Mrs. Frank Derry of Witter, Mrs. Mary Wolf of Mt. Pleasant, R. P. Wyatt of Brownsville, John Lutz of Owsandale, Mrs. J. H. Pell, Mrs. H. Collins, Miss Fay Rush and Mrs. Fuller of Ursula, Mrs. J. H. Pell of Scottsdale, were out of town persons who called at The Courier office this morning for a dictionary.

## Hotel Murder in St. Louis

**United Press Telegram.**  
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 1.—Identified by the police as Mrs. Max Judell, 27 years old, wife of traveling salesman, the woman found unconscious beneath the third story window of the Vendome hotel, died at the City hospital today.

She entered the hotel early this morning with a stylishly dressed young man, who registered "T. Papas and wife." Some time later the young man, greatly agitated, rushed out of the building. On this woman were found a gold watch and \$70 in money. The police are looking for the stylishly dressed young man.

## Discrimination Charged.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 1.—(Special).—In two complaints filed with the Interstate Commerce Commission today, the New Pittsburgh Coal Company of Columbus, Ohio, charges the Hoocking Valley Railway with discriminatory and excessive rates on the transportation of into coal and vessel coal.

## PERSONAL

Raymond Coll, Jr., and cousin, Robert Dwyer, the latter of Beaver, Pa., arrived here last night from a several weeks visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Coll of Linton, Md. Master Robert will remain here this week at the guest of his cousin.

Mrs. C. W. Markwood and daughters, Ruth and Mary, and Miss Florence Myers, who have been visiting at the home of L. E. Hankison for the past week, left this morning on train No. 9 or the R. & O. for their homes in Lancaster, O.

Two dozen trimmed hats, including flower trimmed and tailored hats, to be sold at \$1.00 each. Prices were from \$3.00 to \$5.00, at McDaniel's, Apple street.

## Fifty Years Ago Today.

Aug. 1.  
Congress passed bill providing \$100,000 for field for dentitions to defend Washington.

General Robert E. Lee was in command of the Confederates in West Virginia.

## Twenty-five Years Ago Today.

French elections returned 847 Republicans and 411 Conservatives.

by an Italian one day last week. Mason Pratt of Newark, O., a brother of Congressman Pratt, will return home this afternoon.

Miss Mary McDuffett left this morning for Manassas, Va., to spend two weeks with her sister, Mrs. John Poole.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Jarrett of Scottsdale are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Deal today.

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## The After-Math

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All Remnants whatever | All Lace Curtains Reduced ..... 25% Off ..... 25%  
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ALL CURTAIN MATERIAL IN PLAIN OR PRINTED REDUCED FOR A SHORT WHILE 10%.

This takes in dotted Swiss, Scrims and C. F. M. Curtain Scrims.

12 1/2c, sale price . 11 1/2c | 10c, sale price ..... 9c

All Jap Drawn Work Reduced 25%—Only this Week

ALL STAMPED CUSHION TOPS REDUCED

25c Tops, sale price . 19c | 50c Tops, sale price . 39c

VERY SPECIAL—Pretty Worked Stuffed Cushions, regular \$1.00 and \$2.00 values, sale price only ..... 75c

ALL LEFT OVER TAILORED SKIRTS 25% OFF

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OUR ENTIRE LINE OF SATIN FOULARDS REDUCED 25%

**MOTHER** lets us eat all we want of **This** because it is so good and **CLEAN**

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Special Train of Parlor Cars and Coaches

Leaves Pittsburgh at 8:57 A. M. and runs through to Atlantic City. Tickets good for passage on Special Train and its connections or on trains leaving Pittsburgh at 4:55 P. M., 8:35 P. M. (Coaches only) and 8:50 P. M. (Sleeping Cars only), and their connections.

For leaving time of trains, top-over privileges, and full information consult nearest Ticket Agent, or Jas. P. Anderson, D. P. A., Sixth Avenue and Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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# The News of Nearby Towns.

## DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, Aug. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wilson and son, Donald, and two daughters, Estelle and Marie, left on Monday morning for Canada, where they will spend the next two weeks camping on the Grand and Spiller lakes. They were accompanied by a party from Uniontown and Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. William Whitaker of Towler were here Sunday the guests of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reed were the guests of friends in Uniontown Sunday.

John and Elmer Hunker of Fayette City were here Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Hunker, near Fayette.

Misses Joan and Ella Whitaker and guest, Miss Rosella Kelly, and Miss Lucy Scott were the guests of friends at Killbuck on Sunday.

Postmaster W. C. Smith and son, Harold, left Sunday morning for Muskoka, Ontario, where they will spend the next two weeks camping with a large party from Uniontown and Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hunker of Fayette City were here Sunday the guests of friends.

Dr. H. S. McKee of Conneltsville was here on professional business Monday.

Charles Holmes of South Conneltsville was here Sunday the guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Balzano and four children, who have been visiting at Mountaintop, Pa., for the past three weeks, returned home Sunday.

Miss Inez Bryson, who has been the guest of friends in Pittsburgh for the past two weeks, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson and two children, who have been here the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Heath, left Monday for their home at Sewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMillan were the guests of friends in Uniontown on Sunday.

Alvin G. Smith of Fayette City was here the guest of friends Monday.

J. D. Wagner of Youngwood was here Monday calling on friends.

A party of young people left Monday morning over the Baltimore & Ohio railroad for Albright, W. Va., where they will spend two weeks in camp. The crowd selected this spot where it is cool and far away from civilization, it being on the Mountain town and Kilmorock roads about 15 miles from Morgantown. The party took their tents, cooking utensils and everything to make it an up to date camp. The principal amusement will be fishing and hunting grounds. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Harry and John Smith, Misses Sadie and Kathryn Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Silcox of McKeesport, and Dr. Davis Harding of Greensburg, and Mrs. Jennie Smith. The campers expect to be gone about three weeks.

Miss L. G. Gies of Columbus, O., is here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burdette.

Mrs. J. W. Cartwright is ill at her home with neuritis.

Edward Connel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Connel of Speers Hill is confined to his home with an attack of typhoid fever. The other two members of the family, Mrs. Connel and daughter, Anna, who have been ill with fever are now both convalescing.

## CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, Aug. 1.—Mrs. John Sunde and two sons, Robert and Fred, went to Hildesheim Sunday evening where they will visit friends for a week.

Edward Smith of Addison, was calling on friends in town Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shaw and son, Ray, returned home after a 10 days vacation at Atlantic City and other Eastern cities.

Wm. House of McKeesport, spent the latter part of last week with his mother, Mrs. Sarah House.

Ray Hook of Pittsburgh, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Hark.

Mrs. Bert Hildesheim and three children of Pittsburgh, are spending several weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hildesheim.

Jack Hawke of Rockwood, visited his family here Sunday and Monday.

Miss Florence Taylor is spending several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. E. S. Rowlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Rush and three sons of Uniontown, spent the latter part of last week with their parents in an automobile Sunday and spent the day with friends.

Miss Charlie Koenig of Uniontown, was visiting with friends Sunday.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Thomas Crow on Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

A. C. Elmer and daughter, Genevieve, of Fort Hill, were calling on friends in town Sunday evening.

James Crow of Conneltsville, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Lehnart of Warren, Pa., have returned home after a two weeks' visit with the former's mother, Mrs. J. Lehnart.

N. E. Cooke of Uniontown, was calling on friends in town Sunday evening.

Mr. Geo. Phillips and Mrs. Elizabeth Swan, went to Conneltsville yesterday where they will spend several days with their brother, James Swan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hark of Conneltsville, are spending several weeks with their daughter, Mrs. A. H. Kirtz in Conneltsville this week.

Newton Lowry of Somerset, returned home after a two day visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tice.

E. R. Anspach was in Philadelphia on business from Friday until Monday.

Samuel Zimmerman of Conneltsville, spent Sunday with his family, who have been visiting Mrs. Zimmerman's mother, Mrs. Scott, in town for several weeks.

## MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, July 30.—Messrs. Harry Reiter and George Reiter, of Salisbury, were calling on friends here yesterday.

The annual reunion of the Reformed churches of Schuylkill and Berks counties, the largest religious gathering in the county, will be held at Riverside Park, on the line between the Pennsylvania & Maryland Street Railway Company and the Western Maryland Railway, near Salisbury, Sunday, August 6, 1911.

The members of the Reformed churches of the Western Maryland Railway, will dine at the Hotel Eliza in honor of their friend, Mrs. H. C. Johnson, of Pittsburgh, August 1, 1911. Present were: Misses Mabel, Mary, and Maud; Mrs. C. L. Jones, Mrs. E. B. Smith, Mrs. C. L. Jones, Mrs. E. B. Smith, Mrs. C. L. Jones, Mrs. E. B. Smith.

## Kaiser Wilhelm, Blamed by British for Moroccan Imbroglio, Conferring With Army Chiefs.



KAISER WILHELM CONFERRING WITH HIS GENERALS.

Albert Holden, Dr. E. F. O'Connor, Ralph Woodward, J. F. Mercer and Walter Miller.

W. L. Brant, a well known Garrett lumber dealer, was transacting business at this place yesterday.

U. N. Schrock of Somerset, an attaché of the Sheriff's office, was looking after business in his line at this place yesterday.

Joseph Calhoun of Berlin, was calling on friends here yesterday afternoon.

H. G. Shender of Elk Lick, was among the out of town visitors in this place yesterday.

Leo Chambers and J. McQuinn of Prossburg, Md., were guests of friends at this place yesterday.

Several organizers of the United Mine Workers organization have been stationed here and they will make another effort to organize the miners of this region. Since the eighteen months' strike some years ago, the organization in this region went to pieces, and it seems that the representatives of the union have had an uphill job in trying to re-organize the men.

## MT. PLEASANT.

MT. PLEASANT, Aug. 1.—Edward Keller has been appointed constable of the first ward to succeed Frank Walker deceased.

J. Kenneth Colburn, John Pennington, Edgar Cunningham, Harry Brown, Joseph Colburn, Robert Hartwig, Harry Meredith, James Bennett, with James Vanford, Cook, and Bud Schuler and family, have formed a camping club and will leave August 12 for Attitash, Somerset county, on a month's camp trip.

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Mrs. Charles White of Broad Ford, was visiting friends here yesterday.

W. R. Roff of Liberty, was calling on friends here yesterday.

Lloyd Shallenbarger was a business caller at Vanderbilt yesterday.

Allen Patterson of Liberty, was a business caller here yesterday.

W. M. Boyer is spending a few days visiting friends in West Virginia.

Mrs. Joseph Dunlap of Liberty, was calling on friends here yesterday.

Wm. Johnson was a Dawson business caller yesterday.

Policeman William Thompson of Star Junction, was calling on friends here Saturday.

W. E. Run of Dawson, was calling on friends here Saturday.

William Strickler was a business caller here Saturday afternoon.

VANDERBILT, Aug. 1.—Mr. J. H. Hixson was calling on friends here yesterday.

Harry Shallenbarger of Liberty, was calling on friends here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Christ and children of Liberty, were visiting here yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Shallenbarger here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mickey spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Polk, at Liberty.

Miss Anna Lee Shallenbarger was calling on friends here Sunday.

Walter Mickey was calling on Dawson friends Sunday.

Brice Colbert of Liberty was a business caller here yesterday.

H. L. Adde and George Ritterer were calling on Dickerson Run friends Sunday evening.

A. Vanforn of Dawson was calling on friends here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Blackston spent Sunday at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Catherine Mickey at Liberty.

James Hubbs and Lucie Violette were calling on Dickerson Run friends last evening.

Frank Gray was calling on Dawson friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gray was visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Starkman in Franklin township.

Mrs. Catherine Mickey and daughter, Lucie, were visiting with friends at the former's daughter, Mrs. George Williams yesterday.

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TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 1, 1911.

## BARGAIN DAY IN CONNELLSVILLE.

Every day is a bargain day in Conneltsville as a rule, but there are some days when bargains are more numerous than on others.

This is by common consent the Bargain Day of bargain days.

It is the opening day of the Third Class City Celebration, and the program contains nothing but bargains; bargains for young and old, male and female, hait and blind, heathen and holy; bargains in everything to eat and to wear, to see and to taste, to bedeck the person and to beautify the home.

Come early and avoid the rush, but if you can't come early come with a rush. There's going to be a rushing business in Conneltsville this day.

The Conneltsville stores are the best in the Conneltsville coke region and when they get apart a Bargain Day it's worth miles coming to see. Come and let us do you good!

## THE UNWISDOM OF THE NEW FIRE HOUSE.

It is announced that the foundations of the proposed new fire house have actually been started. In our humble opinion this is a great civic mistake.

Under city administration the municipal officers will be many and they will have to be provided with suitable quarters in which to do business. It is admitted that the present city hall is not large enough and it is not fitted out properly for the purpose. The forthcoming city administration will perhaps have to "board around" like the old-fashioned school teacher.

The wisest and best thing to do would be to suspend present building action until such time as a new and proper city hall can be erected on the site now proposed for the fire department headquarters and the old city hall can be remodeled for the needs of the fire and police departments. It will be remembered that the present city hall already contains a new tower and is in other respects fitted for a fire department headquarters.

It has been suggested that the present city hall can be remodeled to house all the new city offices and Council Chambers. It is possible, but it is also probable that the cost would be almost as much as that of a new and modern city building with some pretense of architectural beauty.

The public buildings of Fayette county's first city should be constructed with an eye to the future as well as in the light of the present.

## FORTUNE TELLERS UNDESIRABLE CITIZENS.

One of the most extraordinary suits ever filed in the Fayette county courts is the complaint of one Dummer and his wife, to the effect that they bought a hotel property at Newell on the advice of a fortune teller employed in the interest of the vendor.

The modern brood of fortune tellers should be eliminated. They should be dealt with as commercial wolves. They are regardless alike of the pain and anxiety they cause to others without any good cause which they on occasions invent for the detection of their regular patrons.

The average fortune teller has a box of Pat. orn. evils always at hand ready to set upon the trusting and devoted heads of their patrons. These fictitious gazers into the future have no compunction in frightening everybody with fantastical terrors.

The fortune teller should be suppressed with the strong arm. It is a crime against nature to frighten superstitious persons into fits. Cases are recorded wherein women have actually gone into a nervous decline because of the silly predictions of these fake prophets.

The patrons of fortune tellers should always bear in mind that it is not possible for any such mental savant to look into their minds much less their futures.

The fortune teller should be told to take a walk and not return. He is an Undesirable Citizen. So is she.

## THE PLAGUE SPOT OF CONNELLSVILLE.

The Yowlersville district on the West Side has developed a serious typhoid spot this summer. The same trouble was encountered there last summer. The cause should have the right investigation of the health authorities.

Hitherto the disease has been attributed to bad water in the dead ends of the water mains there but this was thoroughly and scientifically tested last year with the result that none of the typhoid bacilli was found in the water, which even in the dead ends was comparatively pure and originally healthy. It was evident then that the authorities must look further for the cause of typhoid.

This year other and more probable causes have been discovered. The water has not been analyzed, but it should be. Nothing should be assumed in hunting for the primary cause of this death-dealing scourge.

Responsibility for wiping out this plague-spot of Conneltsville rests heavily upon the health authorities.

# CHARLES O. SCHROYER,

Of Dawson, for Register of Wills and Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Fayette County.



I respectfully solicit your vote and support for the office of Register of Wills and Clerk of the Orphans' Court, subject to the decision of the Republican primary, Saturday, September 20, 1911.

My Standard.  
1. Care and economy in conducting the affairs of the office.  
2. Courteous treatment and equal rights to all.  
CHARLES O. SCHROYER.

The South Conneltsville Incorporationists are so eager to get on the payroll that they have already written up their official state and are preparing to ask the court to appoint it. In the meantime some of those not slated are trying to sponge off the state and begin anew the new borough of South Conneltsville is starting out in a very stormy manner.

South Conneltsville is having camp-meeting. The Conneltsville attendance is reported to be extremely liberal. The Conneltsville people know a Good Thing when they see it.

D. Frank Smith has taken a position on the Uniontown Standard as staff correspondent.

It is expected that Smith's Perfect Letter Writer will soon be on the market. Sheriff Johns ought to offer the big automobile as a prize for the greatest number of subscriptions.

Relics of the Tenth Regiment's prowess in the Philippines will be exhibited to Conneltsville citizens as memento evidence of home gallantry.

The Standard Oil Octomons will re-arrange itself into its usual elements. The disintegration will not, however, dissolve its ownership.

Advance reports of the military movements in the district indicate that the Tenth Regiment is coming strong this week and that there is grave danger that Conneltsville will have to capitulate.

Captain Dunn pointed the way to the most practical and simple manner of honoring the memories of our soldier dead.

Some B. & O. veterans are wearing diamonds, and desecrating them, too.

Congressman Berger proposes pensions for the aged without regard to whether they served in the armies of the United States or not. This is a socialist proposition, but it will probably appeal to the ancient Democratic Uniontown Gentles.

Have you bargained?

Tomorrow will be the big day. Let's hope the Weather Man will not be misled.

The town is covered with banners.

The Western Maryland construction will be seriously delayed by the Cordoganville tunnel fire. This is unfortunate. It is not explained what made the tunnel burn. Modern tunnel construction calls for brick or cement work which is ordinarily impervious to the flames.

**The Fall of Poland.**  
By Isaac of Yukon.

When the people of a nation wish to be either interpreters, detectives or fruit stand dictators, then that nation will fall. This was the condition in Poland during a half century before the government crashed in. When a nation quits producing, it will soon cut its head off. The nation that produces the goods of the man who produces gold bricks, great fides, watered stocks, liberal options and town boom-busts is going to become wealthy. Poland did not have the wealth to pay her creditors the interest on borrowed money when it came due. If she would have had the ready John Davis, she could have lived heavy on the money, bought land, bought cannon, employed gentry gamblers who understood their triggers and who could have prevented cannon from going after Poland's credit. She had a dependable grab train moving for her soldiers.

In each Polish family of ten to twelve boys, the entire family had wished to become husky voiced interpreters, gossamer oil scented city detectives or barking steamship agents. They produced nothing. Russia, Prussia and Austria cared not a rap for interpretation or detection. They were after Poland for brick or cement. Poland's great men became great only after they came to America. Count Pulaski didn't count until he came to this country, mixed up with our Colonial sin fizzes, luscious baked beans and danced a sot or two with the

Daughters of our American Revolution. The rest of the Polish nobles died in Poland and their funeral processions were of the abbreviated type. Scores of thousands who followed Pulaski's example have already become visible factors in Pennsylvania State politics. This is "more power" to Poland but it came too late to prevent the fall.

In Poland's struggle, she did not produce one great spring poet, not one great inventor, not one man who could gather the vote of his district in his vest pocket, not even a first class bar tender. The robin built her nest today the same as the first robin built her nest in the boughs of the apple tree in the Garden of Eden. Polish bar tenders mixed their drinks. Polish fiddlers played the same music at the fall of their kindred as their ancestors did when the nation first stocked up their ice chests. Eternal monarchy has even caused us all to hang back from attending funerals.

The minute men of the Polish revolution were unable to resolve in a minute. Their young men had their minds on seven different languages; were interested in detecting the seven different brandmarks of sticks; fruit sellers were desirous of selling steamship tickets even before the days of applied steam. How could the nation stand under such a great pressure? How could her glory endure?

When the fall came, the Polish steamship nobles were not fully prepared for it. They could not step aside quickly enough and the structure of the kingdom fell upon them. Down went Poland to the bottom of the sea. P. S. Our breed of Poland-China did not come from Poland.

## CLASSIFIED ADS. ONE CENT A WORD.

Wanted.

WANTED—SIX SALESMEN TO SELL groceries. Write J. J. JOHNS, Scottsboro, Pa.

WANTED—MEN OR WOMEN TO sell necessary household requirements. Agency given to Dunbar, Dawson and Conneltsville. Average agent makes \$100 per day. No experience necessary. Apply 3rd Floor, 311 Second National Bank Building, 31 July 22.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—STORE ROOM. Inquire HUPPARD'S BANK. 21 July 11.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS. Bath. 429 SOUTH ARCH STREET. 21 July 11.

FOR RENT—HOME HOTEL. Inquire of MRS. SCHMIDT, over Hubert Store. 21 July 11.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED MID Rooms. Apply opposite Wyman Hotel, Apartment No. 4. 21 July 11.

FOR RENT—MODERN SIX ROOM apartment. Inquire H. E. SCHENCK, Colonial National Bank. 21 July 11.

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM SINGLE house; all conveniences. \$15.00 per month. 102 Madison avenue. Apply BAZAAR STORE, 210 N. Pittsburgh street. 20 July 11.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—ADVERTISING SPACE in this paper. Ask for rates.

FOR SALE—CARPENT, OFFICE desk, combination bookcase and desk, and coal range. 411 JOHNSTON AVENUE. 21 July 11.

RECEIVED AT THE YOUGHIOGGINY Lumber Yard a large carload of yellow pine siding and dressed boards. 21 July 11.

FOR SALE—SIX ROOM DWELLING house on East Main street; steam heat; bath; everything modern. Call TRISTATE PHONE 560. 21 July 11.

For Rent or For Sale.

FOR RENT—OR FOR SALE AT Ohlerville. Adjoining the B. & O. depot. House contains 14 rooms and lavatories. Hardwood throughout. Hot and cold water, fed by mountain springs, piped. Wired for heat and light. Large barn, ice house, barn and office building. Fine orchard, well laden with fruit, good garden. 3 acres of land. For terms apply to B. H. COURSON, Ohlerville, Pa. 21 July 22.

# All Shoe Prices Sound Alike

But do not judge our Oxford values by our prices. Men's Oxfords now \$2.00 to \$3.00 that were much higher priced.

Women's Oxfords, Pumps, Strap Slippers from \$1.25 to \$2.75.

Misses' and Children's Oxfords, Slippers and Roman Sandals are all being sold at greatly reduced prices.

COME AND SEE THEM, THEN JUDGE!

The best leathers, the best shoemaking, the best style features are here.

# Hooper & Long

Notice For Sealed Proposals.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL 5 O'CLOCK P. M., AUGUST 6, 1911, for the furnishing of about 50,000 paving blocks, and for about 1,100 cubic yards of excavating and 1,815 square yards paving, 1,435 lineal feet of curb, and 30 feet of hoisting stones, being approximately the requirements for paving Grison street in the borough of Dawson. Plans and specifications in hands of T. M. ZIMMERMAN, borough engineer, and in hands of M. HECKLINGER, Jr., in the bank building, Dawson, Pa. 31 July 31.

MEMBERS OF CONGRESS WORKING TO PROBE THE "MONEY TRUST."



## BALTIMORE & OHIO

Next Excursion to

## Atlantic City

AUGUST 10th

Other dates August 24th and September 7th. Tickets good returning within 16 days.

SPECIAL EXCURSION TO

## PITTSBURG

Sundays Aug. 6 and 20.

\$1.00

Train leaves Conneltsville 8.45 A. M. Returning leaves Pittsburgh 6.40 P. M. stopping at Braddock and McKeesport in both ways.

Special Excursion

## TO CUMBERLAND

August 6th, \$1.50

Train leaves Conneltsville 9.00 A. M. returning leaves Cumberland 6.00 P. M. A delightful trip.

To Ohlerville 50c

To Killarney Park 65c

Each Sunday leaving Conneltsville 10.10 A. M.

For further details apply to H. L. Douglas, Ticket Agent, Conneltsville.

READ THE COURIER.

Two Days Sale of

# Ladies' Skirts and Children's Dresses

Wednesday and Thursday  
August 2 and 3

Just to make the last two days of this celebration as interesting as the first, we are going to give you a chance to possess a good skirt or dress at much less than wholesale price. Those who take advantage of our suit sale on Tuesday will have some idea of the big bargains offered for these two days when we say that the second and third days of this big celebration will be even a greater attraction than the first. This is an opportunity rarely offered. All will be sold, so why not get yours.

## Skirt Sale

About fifty of these in French and Storm Serges, Worsteds and Voiles, all good seasonable styles and elegantly tailored. They are mostly blacks, blues, greys and mixtures in regular \$6.00 to \$15.00 values. Your choice for these for these two days at

\$5.00

## Children's Dresses

A big line of these in gingham, lawns, galateas and poplins, in colors and lawns in white, shown in stripes, checks, plaids, and figures in plain styles or trimmed with embroideries, laces, pipings, buttons, straps and contrasting materials. These were marked to sell at from \$1.00 to \$10.00. On sale for Wednesday and Thursday only at

Half-Price

# E. DUNN

129-131-133 North Pittsburg Street.

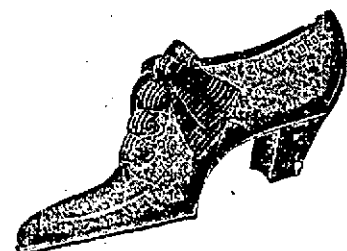
# Here They Go!

Prices Are Slaughtered.

## Cut Biggest We've Ever Made

Zeigler Bros., Edwin C. Burt and Queen Quality Oxford Ties, button, 2-strap and pumps to be sold during the next 10 days at the low price of—

\$1.95



\$2.05 saving on every pair of Zeigler's, Burt's and Queen Quality \$4 Oxfords. The three greatest lines of footwear sold in America. It is getting late for us to sell these goods, but you have three months to wear them yet. We don't want to carry them over. These are high priced goods and run into money fast. We mean to close out every pair in the next ten days at

\$1.95

## We Have a Big Lot

of Walk-Overs, Banisters and Burt, Packard & Co., Low Cuts which sell for \$3.50, \$4 and \$5. These we will sell the next 10 days

\$1.95

These low cuts are styles that are now just going out. Were the biggest sellers we use to have, but so many want the high toes these days, that the low toes have not sold very well. There are no better wearing goods. Worth your while to see them.

This price will remain on these goods for 10 days only. No goods sold after August 5th at this price. We could not afford to extend the time longer.

# C. W. DOWNS & CO.



## OLD FASHIONED BARN RAISING.

Strenuous Ceremony for One  
Being Built by E. W.  
Sinsley

FOR WILLIAM W. GALLAGHER

Lowe, Delight and Shively Families  
Will Hold Reunion on Friday, Aug-  
ust 11—Grasshoppers Proving Very  
Destructive This Year.

Special to The Courier.  
SCOTSDALE, Aug. 1.—There was something took place last week that has grown to be a very unique event in these days although years ago it was quite a common festival throughout the country districts. It was Lower Tyrone township that contributed to the revival of memories with an old fashioned barn raising. About 40 neighbors of William W. Gallagher gathered on Thursday and Friday to help him raise the frame of his handsome new barn, which is being built by E. W. Sinsley of Scottdale. A general good time was had in and about the event brought to the memories of the older people the happenings of their childhood days. Then the barn raising was great events and drew people from miles around to the pollution that always attended the arduous ceremony. Mr. Sinsley and Mr. Gallagher are grateful to all who helped in the work, and expect to soon have a very handsome barn for the inspection of their friends and neighbors.

Assist at M. Church's.  
The Bible class of the McClure Sunday school is preparing for a social and festival which will be held on the church grounds in Pittstown on the evening of August 12, for the benefit of the new church.

Home From Visit.  
Mrs. Lee Anna Kelly of near town returned home yesterday from a two weeks' trip to Latrobe and Oakdale, where she was visiting the families of her uncles, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Yates, Surveying Street.

Members of Borough Engineer J. B. Hogg's corps were in Scottdale on Monday making surveys of the Stoner street improvements and arranging so that the contractor may begin paving on that thoroughfare. The curb is on the ground and has been dressed ready for setting and it is expected the contractor will soon have the curb placed along there, and the street will be ready for laying the brick on it.

Three Families Reunion.  
The second reunion of the Lowe, Leight and Shively families will be held in Dillingers Grove, Buffalo, on Friday, August 11. The first reunion brought forth a large crowd of these families and their friends and it is anticipated that the reunion this year will be much larger.

Rev. Shively Here.  
Rev. J. L. Shively, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, Geneseo, Illinois, will preach at the Wesley Chapel Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday morning at 10:30. Rev. Mr. Shively was formerly rector in East Huntingdon township and is visiting his mother and other relatives about Mt. Pleasant.

A Good Rain.  
There was a good rainfall yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock that was a great help to crops about this locality. They were much in need of rain and the only drawback to the rain was that it did not last long enough. The ground is exceedingly dry and the rain's effects are not seen long after it falls. It was to be seen but a little distance out of town.

Grasshoppers a Pest.  
The grasshoppers have been proving a destructive pest throughout this locality for several days past, the voracious insects being of light appetites and eating through the once fields with particular vigor. In many oaks fields, it is said, that hundreds of oaks have been eaten from the parent straw and the oaks are lying thick upon the ground. The visitation is not a happy one for the farmers.

Mops High Living.  
This high living business is being encouraged on every hand, and the ranks of the "ultimate consumer." The latest innovation claimed to increase the price of the "cats" in the travelling of the drummers about in motor cars when they sell the stuff. Several of them in their devil wagons were noticed in this town on Monday.

### YOUR HAT

May Be a Stylish One, But It Makes  
Trouble.

A man usually wears a hat that is "in style," but the modern hat for men has lots to answer for.

Headaches are growing more numerous every day. Hats make excellent breeding places for the parasitic germs which sap the life from the roots of the hair.

When your hair begins to fall out and your scalp is full of dandruff it is a sure sign that these countless germs are busily at work.

There is but one way to overcome the trouble and kill the germs—that way is to apply Newbro's Herpicide to the scalp. It will kill the germs and healthy hair is sure to result.

Sold by leading druggists. Send the stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

One dollar bottles guaranteed; Graham & Co., Special Agents.

## Old Town of Liberty Has Boom; Many Families Seek Homes There.

Special to The Courier.  
LIBERTY, Pa., July 31.—The possibilities of a few years ago, Liberty as a dead end, and were so certain that it would never amount to anything, will have to retract some of their statements. The extension of the P. & L. E. and the connection with the Western Maryland at Connelville, giving the New York Central an Eastern outlet, means a enormous increase in traffic and a corresponding increase of prosperity along the line.

Many persons, wishing to locate in a model town and secure a desirable residence, have cut their lot in the little village of Liberty. Within the past year, almost every available building lot in the town has been

taken up by those wishing pleasant, healthful homes.

Conditions in Liberty have improved vastly within the past few years. It is no longer necessary, in going from one part of the town to the other, to wear hip boots, or use a raft. Our road commissioner, Joseph Stoner, has applied a coat of oil to the State road from the P. & L. E. railroad to the Vanderbilt borough line, which does away with the dust and mud. The concrete pavement on Main street is almost completed by Contractor Curdin Harpner.

Taking it all in all, a visit to our delightful little village will do you good, and at the same time convince you that we are going forward every year, and are here to stay.

## OWENSDALE.

Special to The Courier.  
OWENSDALE, August 1.—Miss Orel Flanagan, of Fairbury, O., who has been visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson, for the past several weeks left for home Saturday.

Elbert Fraichtner, of Leontine, was visiting relatives here Saturday afternoon.

Chapman King was attending to matters of business at Scottdale Saturday afternoon.

Kane and Thomas, formerly of the Morgan team, are playing like heads for the Continental No. 1 team.

Thomas leads the scatters by a big majority and Kane leads in basestunning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and the latter's mother motored from New Castle here Saturday on an extended visit to the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Grant Shallenberger.

Miss Gladys Orbin, of Connelville, was visiting relatives here Sunday.

Miss Belle Huff left this morning for Hecla where she has accepted a position with the Union Supply Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur DeWalt and son, Harold, were visiting relatives at Uniontown over Sunday. The latter's sister, Miss Jessie Miller accompanied them to Uniontown.

Andrew Thomas of Uniontown, was visiting relatives here over Sunday.

Children's Day services were held at the Hickory Square church Sunday evening. The program was carried out in an excellent manner. The church was prettily decorated in lavender, green and red.

Save a Day in  
Mail Delivery

Nearly a day in transporting mails from Morgantown to Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York will be saved beginning when a new routing of the postal department will go into effect. Ever since the B. & O. has been running its train from Morgantown at 5:31 for Connelville and Pittsburgh, many Morgantown people have been under the impression that mail going out on this train could catch the Duquesne Limited at Connelville, and so reach New York at 5 o'clock the next morning.

Some time ago the matter of sending a pouch through on the Duquesne Limited was taken up, and this morning an order was received from Chief Inspector of Railway Mail Clerks Watts, instructing the Morgantown office to prepare pouches for different eastern points after August 1 for transportation by way of Connelville on the Limited. Instead of being taken to the Connelville postoffice the pouches will be reshipped at the station, as there is only a few minutes wait between trains here. This will make quite a difference to banking and business houses of the city.

### COMPANY I MEN

Monopolize About Everything in the Tenth Regiment.

Tomorrow morning the Tenth regiment's crack squad of riflemen will be off for Mt. Gretna to take part in the State shoot. Every man on the Tenth team this year is a member of Company I, of Greensburg. The personnel of Company I are: Captain Wade T. Kline, Privates: Bailey, Hamilton, Pott, Lucas, Keiser, Close and Lang. These rifle experts proved their superiority over their comrades of the entire regiment and were selected to uphold the honor of the regiment at the State shoot. Most of the team are veterans at the range.

### Card of Thanks.

The members of the family of the late W. H. Cotton desire to thank all those who in any way assisted them during the hours of their sad affliction. They also desire to thank all who sent floral tributes and the choir of the Methodist Episcopal church.

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### Colonial Miner Drawn.

Sunday evening about 8 o'clock while bathing in the reservoir at Colonial No. 2, near Fairview, John Donatke, a foreigner employed as a coal miner, got into a deep hole and was drowned.

## Charles O. Schroyer for Register of Wills

Mr. Charles O. Schroyer whose announcement appears in another column, will no doubt receive the hearty support of all or nearly all the voters of the Tenth region at the Republican primary on September 30, 1911.

Mr. Schroyer's present term of Register and Recorder will always be remembered by the public as a bright spot in the history of the county and a very great credit to himself. His official administration has been progressive, clean and impartial, the personal conduct of his office has been always to oblige and make people feel at home while transacting business in the Register and Recorder's office.

Mr. Schroyer has known no distinction as to high or low, rich or poor, creed or color.

Mr. Schroyer pledges the people, if nominated and elected to conduct the office of Register of Wills and Clerk of the Orphans' Court as heretofore in the best interest of the taxpayers, and to give the county a business-like administration, attending every courtesy to patrons of the office.—Adv.

## Special Services at Moore Church

Special services are being held this week at the Moore church, one mile east of Moyer. Last evening Rev. J. S. Hayes of Moyer preached a sermon on "Man's Relationship to God," beginning with his creation and leading up to the thought of his redemption in the person of Jesus Christ. He said: "There is nothing equal to the riches of God in Christ Jesus, and how poor is the man who lives a life of separation from him. Who can afford to miss these things?"

Services every evening during the week, beginning promptly at 7:15. Come and bring your friends with you.

### MINE RESCUE CAR.

To Visit Plants in Southern Fayette County This Week.

The Mine Rescue Car which Field Secretary E. E. Bach and a committee of the Y. M. C. A. have arranged to visit the Lower Connelville region during the first two weeks in August, will arrive in Uniontown for the two days of August 2 and 3, and then the car goes to Republic August 4 and 5, and Gray's Landing August 7 and 8.

The men in charge of the car are all experts in the matter of rescue work and first aid to the injured, and this is an excellent opportunity for all men engaged in mining in this field to learn something concerning a work which is of such great importance to them. It is the desire of the committee that every company sent a large delegation as possible to these demonstrations as they wish to have these rescue cars return from time to time. This will be impossible unless interest is shown by having a large attendance at these sessions which will be given both morning and afternoon of the above dates.

### DIME FOR PINT OF FLIES.

Cumberland Children to Enter Swallowing Contest.

CUMBERLAND, Md., August 1.—(Special.)—The Cumberland Civic Club campaign against the fly will begin today to be continued 15 days. The club committee on fly-swallowing will pay 10 cents a pint for as many flies delivered by children of the city.

A contest just closed here by a business house brought in 331,295 flies in 10 days, Thurman Newman, a little cripple, carrying off the \$10 prize with 135,000 flies to his credit.

For County Commissioner, Charles H. Nutt of Jefferson township is a candidate for nomination for County Commissioner subject to the rules governing the Republican primary election, to be held September 30, 1911.

He is a successful farmer in his home township upon the farm where he was born forty-one years ago. He has been an active Republican, working and voting for his party, principles and candidates since he reached the voting age.

He respectfully solicits the support of Republicans at the coming primary.

### Hunting Bargains?

Look over the advertisements in The Daily Courier and you will find where they are at.

## LYNCHING THREATS MADE AT SMITHTON.

Italian Accused of Murder of  
Countrymen Saved by  
State Police.

100 MEN CHASE HIM

Vowing They Would Have His Blood  
for Murder of Powell Bozetti on Sun-  
day Night—Another Man is South  
for Crime.

With about 100 of his compatriots on his trail vowing that they would lynch him as soon as they could lay hands on him, an Italian charged with the murder of Powell Bozetti, at Eureka, down the Yough, Sunday evening, was captured by State Troopers Ames and Merrifield Monday evening about a mile outside of Smithton. Under the protection of the troopers, he was placed in the Smithton lockup and was taken to the Greensburg jail this morning.

The murder of Bozetti, which occurred at a christening Sunday evening, roused the Italians of that point to a high pitch. The alleged murderer disappeared Sunday night but he appeared in Smithton Monday afternoon. A mob soon gathered and started for the fellow. The latter took to his heels and managed to keep ahead until he met the State troopers, to whom he surrendered.

Witnesses declare, it is stated, that the man under arrest struck Bozetti on the head with brass knuckles.

The authorities are looking for a second Italian known as "Bob" who is said to have had a part in the murder of Bozetti. "Bob," it is said, comes from Monongahela City.

Bozetti was killed in a drunken fight which developed at a christening party. He was struck in the head with a pick. He was hurled to Mory hospital, Pittsburgh, on No. 49, where he died at 10:30 yesterday morning.

The christening was characteristic of many of the religious gatherings among the foreign population of Westmoreland county. It was made the occasion of much celebration and jollification and, as is usually the case, wine and beer were served in abundance.

As the evening progressed many of those present became more or less intoxicated and the good nature which had prevailed at the beginning gave way to ugliness in some quarters. The exact manner in which Bozetti received his fatal injury has not been disclosed. It is said that he interfered as a peace-maker between two fighters and that one struck him over the head with the butt of a revolver, turning his skull. A later report, however, has it that a pick was used, the point making a hole in the skull through which a man's finger could pass. Bozetti was hurled to the Pittsburgh hospital, where he died without having made a statement.

The murderer disappeared in the confusion which followed the fatal blow. The State police were called upon and Privates Ames and Merrifield at once took up the hunt. Nothing was seen of the murderer until last evening when he was walked into Smithton. A crowd of citizens started off for him and he fled from the town. Going up a hollow about a mile, he ran into the arms of the State troopers, who were coming into town. The man made no resistance. He was taken before Squire N. E. Rhoades, who committed him to jail.

### THE THIMBLE CLUB

Of Fayette City Entertained at Home of Mrs. L. C. Harris.

The Thimble Club, composed of about 20 ladies of Fayette City, were entertained at the home of Mrs. L. C. Harris. They arrived about 11 o'clock by way of automobiles, carrying fragrances and party carts. The beautiful home of Mrs. Harris was surrounded by flowers and everything to make it inviting. After spending some time socially the guests were taken to the apple orchard, to partake of a sumptuous feast spread beneath an apple tree bending with its luscious fruit. The luncheon was composed of all the delicacies of the season. Such as Mrs. Harris is known to prepare. After all had partaken there were fully "twelve baskets full" taken up by the accomplished aids, Miss Cora E. Patterson and Miss Ruth E. Luce.

The afternoon was spent in a social way until 5 o'clock when the ladies extended their thanks to Mrs. Harris and giving her a gentle hint to invite them again to which she kindly responded, the guests left for their homes and will not soon forget the pleasant day spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harris.

This party was composed of the following ladies: Mrs. May M. Boyler, Mrs. Mary E. Brown, Mrs. L. T. Brown, Miss A. Black, Miss Ethel Brown, Miss Cecelia Conner, Mrs. T. O. Dower, Mrs. Margaret H. Gordon, Mrs. Sam Luce, Miss Ruth Luce, Mrs. R. M. McCone, Mrs. T. S. Nagley, Miss Jannette Boyd Nagley, Miss Cora E. Patterson, Miss Cora E. Patterson, Mrs. C. B. Powers, Mrs. N. I. Scott, Miss Emma Shields, Mrs. P. E. Scroggs, Mrs. G. W. Spalter, Mrs. W. T. Spalter, Miss Alberta Spalter, Mrs. William Soterbeck, Miss Janet Todd, Mrs. R. M. Threlkeld, Mrs. A. C. Thomas, Mrs. M. M. Willson and Mrs. Carl L. Willson.

# 4 Days' Sale of Odds and Ends

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and  
Saturday Will Be Devoted to a  
Sale of All Odds and Ends Result-  
ing From Our July Clearance Sale

There was never a sale held in Connelville at which such a tremendous quantity of merchandise was sold as at the sale we have just closed.

We find however, on going through our stocks, that so many lines have become broken, that hundreds of samples remain on our floors of which our reserve stock has been entirely sold out.

We've No Room for Odd Samples. From  
Wednesday Until Saturday will Be Clean  
Up Days. Come and See Which of These  
Samples You Can Use and You May  
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## CHAPTER XIV.

"Look here, Handy! . . .  
Voorhis gave you any message for me?"

Blackstock stood with his back to the store in the farthest kitchen; hands in pockets, his heavy shoulders lifted, he swayed all but imperceptibly on the balls of his feet. In the dull, soft illumination of two common kerosene lamps, he loomed hugely in the room, overshadowing and dwarfing the two white, placid Chinese who patterned about preparing a meal—having been routed out of bed for that purpose.

Coast, sitting back in a kitchen chair on the far side of the table from Blackstock, considered quickly and lied deliberately and wholeheartedly, with full knowledge of the consequences of a misstep. Sooner or later the unmasking was bound to come, whether he will it or no. He was not eager for it yet, but prepared against it at any time. . . . Sooner or later that word would fall from his lips—or from Katherine's—or some untoward happening would precipitate the inevitable—revealing him, an impostor. The hour like the outcome was on the knees of the gods. The sense of fatality was strong upon his soul.

"There wasn't time," he said. "I was off-duty and they rounded me up just in time to catch the midnight train."

"And Voorhis sent no word?" Blackstock demanded incredulously.

"He said you'd be advised by wire-  
less."

"No more than that?"

"Only I'd find this job after my own heart, to do as I was told and mind my own business and see nothing except what you showed under my nose; it would be worth my while, and he knew he could depend on me. I guess he did, too. I guess he knows what kind of a man you need, Mr. Black, and Mr. Voorhis isn't the sort to pick an operator out of the grab-bag for a special purpose, isn't that so?"

"I know, Voorhis, it is," Blackstock roared back, forth on his feet, pursuing his full, loose-lipped mouth. "I can tell more about you in the morning," he said; "we'll have a talk and come to an understanding."

"Why not now?"

"Morning will do," said Blackstock decidedly.

For some minutes Blackstock did not speak. Coast glanced up at him, as if he were aware of that fact.

The man shook himself out of what had seemed profound abstraction.

"How about Mr. Vanderzide's supper, John?" he asked.

"Leadly vely soon," replied one of the Chinese meekly.

"Hurry it up, then; he's tired. . . . Guess I'll step upstairs and have a look at Chang," said Blackstock.

"That's the fellow Power knocked out, you know," he added superfluously as he left the room, moving lightly with quick steps noiseless in his rubber-soled shoes.

Left alone, Coast fell to the food which one of the Chinamen presently set before him. Although up to that time excitement had numbed him to the fact, he had tasted nothing since mid-day, and was now excessively hungry. The meal, plain but well-cooked, proved a great relief from the somewhat monotonous diet of bacon and eggs to which he had been restricted since the previous morning. He took his time over it, however, and toward the conclusion began to wonder what Blackstock found to keep him so long above-stairs.

The dishes were removed and the Chinamen set about washing up, chattering to one another in low, expressionless tones. Still Blackstock did not come down. Coast lighted his pipe. His thoughts reverting to Katherine, in natural course swung back to the slip of paper reposing at the bottom of his pocket.

He looked cautiously around; the servants were intent upon their work, stolidly incurious as to himself, to all appearances; from the upper floor came reiterations of the high-pitched and querulous accents of the wounded man—a sound to which he had become accustomed since Blackstock had left him. He felt, consequently, fairly safe.

Producing the scrap of paper, he stealthily smoothed it out across his knee. It bore a single sentence hurriedly and lightly in pencil:

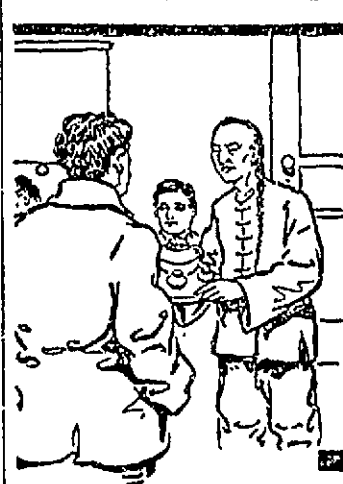
"Neither your life nor mine is safe if you persist."

Very thoughtfully he twisted the paper into a little spool, lighted it over the chimney of one of the lamps, applied the flame to the tobacco in his pipe, then held it while it burned.

Precisely what was one to understand from that message? That Katherine had awakened to the truth regarding the killing of Van Tui—or merely that she mistrusted Blackstock's temper, should he by any chance be led to suspect Coast's true identity? That she knew the truth about Power? Or that through some subtle process of feminine intuition she had divined that Blackstock was not wholly hoodwinked by Handy's side, and would, were his doubts confirmed, seek to punish her as well as the impostor for keeping silence?

She had not had time to write more.

The spill burned down until its tiny flame flickered blue and expired within a fraction of an inch of his finger.



"Leadly Vely Soon."

tips. He plucked out the spark, and dropped the unconsumed fragment back into his pocket in a ridiculous extravagance of precaution. As he did so he became conscious of a shadow bulking large in a corner of his field of vision, and he looked up suddenly, startled to discover Blackstock almost at his elbow. With such catlike lightness and silence the fellow moved!

Coast pushed back his chair from the table, as if to arise, but Blackstock dropped a hand compellingly upon his shoulder and held it there.

"No," he said; "don't get up; you're tired. I'm off—just stopped to say good night. Guess you'll find your room comfortable—if Chang doesn't keep you awake with his jabbering."

"I say, Mr. Black," Coast could not refrain from asking, "how the dickens do you manage to get about with such swiftness?" The inquiry was natural; his curiosity was piqued; the thing was not natural. He tried to bring himself back into character. "I don't mean to be fresh, but you're a wonder."

A curious smile dawned on the face lowering over him—a smile of the features only; nothing remarkable, perhaps, since the eyes were dead.

"Habit," said Blackstock; "habit and training assisted by a strong feeling for direction. I guess I'm something like the guy in that book by the man who wrote 'Tribby'—do you remember?"

—the fellow that could feel the north—turn to it blindfolded? Sort of human compass. . . . Well, that's mine. Tell me where I am, and so long as I know the ground, I'll find my way. For instance, I'm going back to the bungalow now—alone."

Coast, I came practically alone—

wife tells me the night's black as a stack of cats."

His hand remained on Coast's shoulder, obstinate but imperative. "And then," he continued after a slight pause, "my fingers remember anything they've ever felt. Let me run my hands over a man's face once, and I'll pick him out of a dozen any time afterwards. Like this."

Before Coast could object Blackstock had brought both hands into play upon his face; lightly, softly and gently the ten blunt, hard tips of his stubby fingers moved over Coast's features, tapping, pressing, gliding on.

It was all but insufferable; Coast was conscious that the blood burned in his face like fire, that his heart was pounding—so loud, it seemed, that the other must be aware of it. He revolted, he almost choked at this familiarity of contact which he must needs endure from the man of all men he had the greatest cause to hate, loathe and despise. He dug his nails into his palms in an effort to enforce submission. Blackstock's face was within two feet of his own; a satiric smile (he fancied) rested upon those crudely modeled, animal features; he realized suddenly that it was the face of a Satyr, simply, naively sensual, as soulless as its lightless eyes. And a vinous breath offended his nostrils; his own breath he held, clenching his teeth.

"Now I know you."

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The hands moved on, down over his shoulders, and felt of his arms.

"Hard!" commented Blackstock. "You've got strength, haven't you? Not as front as mine, though; you'd hardly realize how immensely strong I am. See now!" His hands moved swiftly back to Coast's throat and slid it with a collar of iron. "Do you realize I could easily squeeze your breath out of your body. I could!"

Coast's face explored the face above him. Its smile was gone. Something ran cold along his spine, and at a sudden he was without emotion, quite calm and collected.

"But you won't, you know," he said easily; "that is, you wouldn't if you knew my right hand in my pocket was pointing a pistol directly at your heart."

"Would you?"

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was true; and he thought: Habit is strong.

Raising his left hand, he grasped Blackstock's right by the wrist and removed it with a certain firmness. The other hand released him in an instant later, and the man stood back with a short laugh.

"But you wouldn't have fired?"

"Not any sooner than you'd have tried to strangle me."

"Of course I'd no such idea."

"Of course not; but you shouldn't have suggested it. You made me nervous."

For a moment it was as if the mask had been dropped, as if they openly acknowledged one another as implacable enemies. And again Coast remarked that Blackstock quivered as he had when surprised, an hour before; a ripple of tensed muscles, hardly to be detected, seemed to shake him from head to foot—and was gone in a twinkling, while the hard smile reappeared on the Satyr's features.

"Do you really tote a gun, Handy-side?"

"Always," Coast rejoined briefly. "Why—up here?"

"You never can tell what's going to happen."

"Perhaps you're right," Blackstock conceded the point, graciously. "I don't mind, but you really ought not to take a job so seriously. However, . . . I'm full of sleep and you must be. . . . John—hnt, cane."

One of the servants brought them instantly. "G'night, Handy-side."

Blackstock hesitated an instant, then got his bearings and found the back door with unerring accuracy. On the stoop he paused long enough to say: "Well, get together after breakfast and talk business!" and the blackness received him.

Mystified, Coast waited, staring at the spot where he had last seen the man, until one of the Chinamen rudely suggested that his room was ready. He followed the fellow rapidly, preoccupied, his mind ranging far in futile speculation as to the riddle of Blackstock's conduct. Long after he was left alone in the room that had been Power's, he sat on the edge of the dingy bed, his gaze fixed upon the reflection of the lamp's flame in the window pane—absorbed in the enigma.

He could not rid himself of the impression that an inarticulate menace lurked beneath Blackstock's apparently unassuming reception of him.

Was insanity the explanation? Was the man in reality a homicidal maniac, at whose intellect the lust to slay lay like a cancer? . . . But in such cases, would he have delegated to another the assassination of Power?

Did he or did he not suspect? Did that sudden slip of the mask signify that he had merely allowed himself to appear to be deceived and was but waiting to deliver some telling stroke in retaliation?

How much has Coast to apprehend, what to guard against?

To this latter question his every instinct answered in chorus: "Every-thing I desire, leave no stone unturned to safeguard myself—that he might remain able to protect Katherine."

It came to him that it was not unlikely he had been left in that lonely cottage with the three Chinamen, that they might quietly make away with him while he slept.

With this in mind he took a more detailed inventory of his surroundings; and found them hopelessly exposed.

Unquestionably he would have been safer in the open; but the storm was now at the top of its fury. Sheets of water were sluicing the house as if cast from some gigantic bucket.

Danger within seemed very much preferable to misery without. More than that, if Blackstock had planned an attempt upon his life during the night, Coast might as well know it; for he was armed and unafraid, and he who knows what to fear is doubly armed.

Having wedged a chair beneath the knob of each door, he placed the lamp upon the table, turning it low that its scanty store of oil might last the night, and sat down on the bed, the pillow at his back. Appleyard's pistol ready at his side.

Insensibly as the dead hours lagged marked by no disturbance foreign to the storm, his weariness bore heavily upon him. His thoughts blurred into a chaotic jumble of incoherencies. He nodded, drowsed with chin on

his hand.

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thought of "danger" is apt to waken that thought predominant.

A moment gone everything had been densely dark, with that narcotic blackness which characterizes the slumbers of the overworked and overwrought.

Now in a twinkling he found himself intensely conscious in the middle of the floor, pistol in hand, every nerve on the qui vive, every muscle tense.

Gradually he realized that his nerves must have tricked him, that the hair-trigger of his suspended faculties must have been pulled by some common but unexpected noise. The room was bright with garish daylight; at the doors the chairs were in place, as he had left them; there was not a sound to be heard in the house.

Very stealthily he opened the hall door and looked out. From the silence within doors, there was no one else astray. He went out and back to the kitchen, finding it empty. After some momentary hesitation he returned to his room, found a towel and took it with him out into the open.

He went quickly down through the Cold Lairs to the beach. The Echo was gone, but this did not surprise him; it had been Appleyard's purpose to leave anchor and get away as soon as the gale showed signs of slackening. Inside the sheltering spit a sturdy little catboat was dancing crazily at its mooring, but it was evidently deserted, and Coast rightly guessed that the vessel belonged to Blackstock, that its tender was the boat which Power had been accused of stealing—principally, no doubt, to allow the suspected of Katherine; some means of accounting for the man's disappearance had necessarily to be invented. The boat was, of course, nowhere to be seen; doubtless Blackstock had caused it to be carried up and secreted in one of the abandoned dwellings, or in some recess beneath the bluffs to the west and south.

It was in the shelter of the westerly bluff that Coast stripped and took to the water. Here, as all round the island, the beach showed boldly, the surf breaking close ashore.

Scrubbing his flesh aglow, he dressed quickly, untrifling with the exhilaration of his recent contest, every trace of fatigue and drowsiness washed clean away. A sense of life and well-being ran like quicksilver through his veins; he could have sung aloud or whistled but for the sobering thought, never far beneath the surface of his consciousness, of his responsibility. With Katherine to guard and care for, with Blackstock to watch and guard against and circumvent, there could be little room for cheerfulness in his humor.

Instead of returning the way he had come, an impulse moved him to scale the bluff, which at this point presented not too steep an acclivity.

As he continued along the sole, approaching the heel of what has been likened to a crude sketch of a child's shoe, Coast remarked the crumbling stone walls of what had apparently once been a rude summer house or observatory set atop the highest bluff to seaward. But he had drawn quite near to it before he saw

a hom of skirt whipping round a corner of a half-fallen wall. He quickened his steps and took her suddenly unawares as she stood, half-battered from the breeze and wholly invisible from the body of the island, her back to the weather-beaten and lichened stones, her gaze leveled to seaward in somber reverie.

It was as if she had been expecting him; she seemed not at all surprised. But there was no light of welcome in her look, nor any trace of welcome in her greeting as he stopped before her, hat in hand and bent in his throat, with something in his bearing that called to mind a child convicted of transgression and pleading for suspension of judgment.

"I came out here to think," she said—"at least to try to think. But I hoped that if you saw me you would follow."

"I'm glad," he said; "though I didn't know you were here. It's hardly likely we'll have so good a chance to talk again."

"Yes," she admitted simply. There was a little catch in her voice and he fancied her lips quivered like the lips of a tired child as she looked away from him, seeking again the sight of the sea as if she drew from it some solace, some sorely needed strength against her trials. "We must talk, of course. . . . I have been trying all night to think. . . . But everything seems so . . ."

She left the sentence incomplete, raising her hands to press them against her temples and then dropping them with a gesture of utter weariness.

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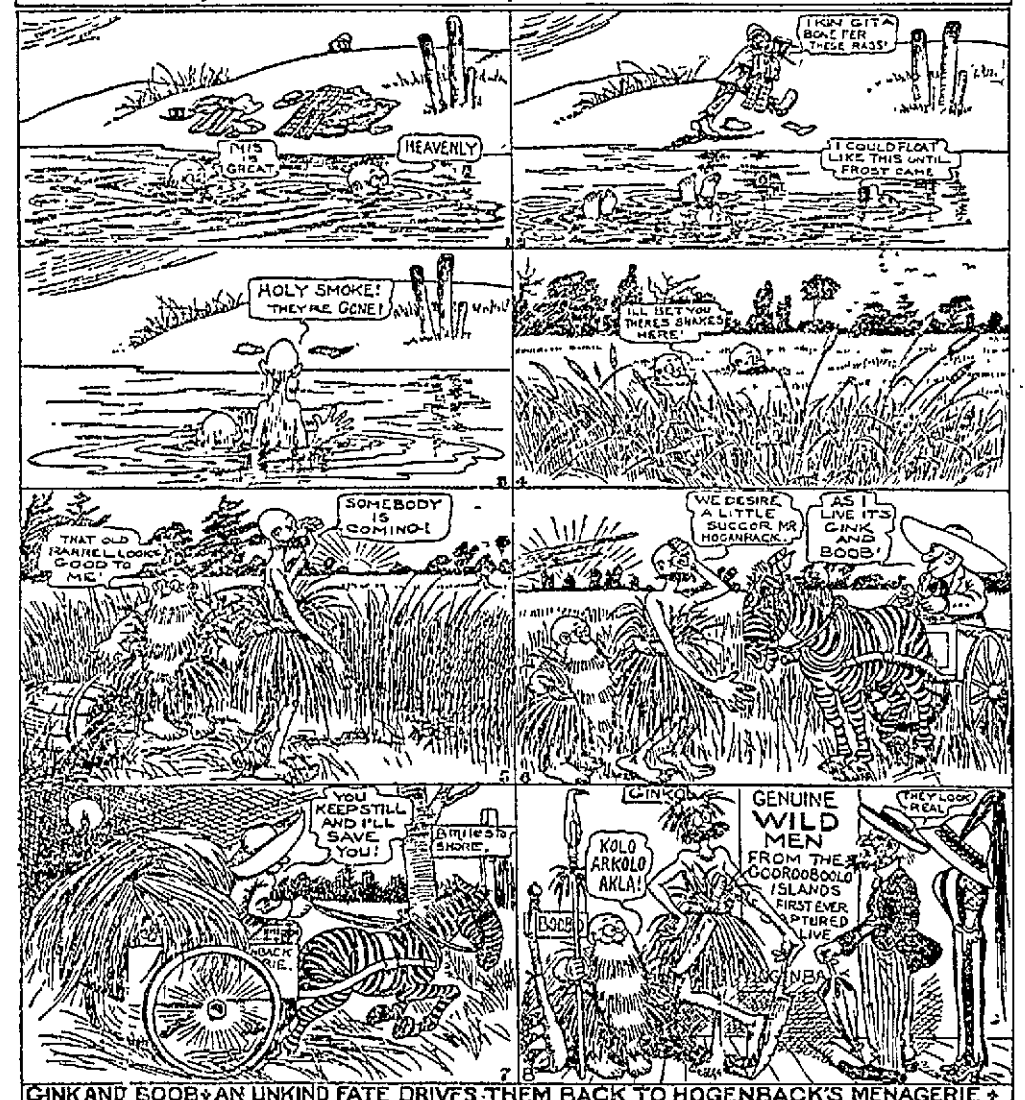
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What promises to be a bitter fight for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in Maryland will be settled at the State primary to be held on August 29.  
San Francisco's municipal election will be held in September and a hard fight is already under way to oust the labor control of the city government.

